

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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## <u>PETITION</u> FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for a three (3) month extension of time within which to respond to the June 8, 2004, outstanding Office Action, such extension allowing the undersigned until December 8, 2004, to respond.

A check is enclosed which includes the fee for the requested extension of time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 502264.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop Amendment, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on December 8,

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Date of Signature

Respectfully submitted,

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